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Amendment Accompanying Request for Continued Examination

This response is submitted in reply to the Advisory Action dated January 7, 2008. A Notice of Appeal was filed on November 16, 2007, concurrently with the Response to the final Office Action dated June 20, 2007, finally rejecting claims 1-24, 31-27, 39-59, and 67-74.

Applicants enclose herewith a petition for a two-month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 to respond to the Examiner's Advisory Action, which extends the period for response to March 17, 2006, as March 16, 2008 falls on a Sunday, as this response is submitted within the five-month period following the Notice of Appeal which expires June 16, 2008. Please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.